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GALVANIZED STEEL PRODUCT EXCELLENT IN  
SURFACE SMOOTHNESS AND FORMABILITY AND  
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME  
  
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2009, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and comments into the file of the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.